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GENENTECH, INC. and  
14 GENENTECH INC. GROUP LONG  
TERM DISABILITY BENEFIT PLAN

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17 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
18 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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20 SUSAN BEERMAN,

CASE NO. C 06-00827 MMC

21 Plaintiff,

STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER  
EXTENDING TIME TO FILE CROSS-  
MOTIONS ON THE MERITS

22 v.

23 GENENTECH, INC.; GENENTECH INC.  
24 GROUP LONG TERM DISABILITY  
BENEFIT PLAN; and DOES 1 through 50,  
inclusive,

25 Defendants.

26 WHEREAS, at the case management conference in the above action on May 12, 2006,  
27 the Court directed plaintiff Susan Beerman and defendants Genentech, Inc. and Genentech, Inc.  
28 Group Long Term Disability Benefit Plan (collectively "the parties") to file opening briefs for

1 cross-motions on the merits by January 12, 2007;

2 WHEREAS the parties previously stipulated, and the Court previously ordered, that the  
3 deadline for completing mediation would be extended to January 31, 2007;

4 WHEREAS the parties had difficulty identifying a mutually available date to participate  
5 in the mediation due to press of business and vacation schedules, and have now set the mediation  
6 to take place on the mutually-available date of January 23, 2007;

7 WHEREAS, in the interest of judicial economy and conserving the resources of the  
8 parties and the Court, the parties wish to participate in the mediation before incurring the time  
9 and expense of preparing and filing opening briefs for cross-motions on the merits;

10 NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereby stipulate to and mutually request that the Court  
11 grant an extension of the briefing schedule for cross-motions on the merits, so that the date by  
12 which the parties are to file their opening briefs is extended to February 9, 2007.

13 Dated: December 20, 2006

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/s/ Michael S. Henderson

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Dated: December 20, 2006

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Benefit Plan

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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DATED: December 20, 2006

  
Maxine M. Chesney

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Hon. Maxine M. Chesney  
United States District Judge

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